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## INSTITUTE.

### Teachers of Lawrence County Hold Successful Meeting.

### A Very Large and Intelligent Body Taught by Prof. J. W. Ireland. Noted Educators Present.

The Lawrence county teacher who has wilfully failed to attend the institute this week merits what he is sure to receive, forfeiture of his certificate. There is doubt if a more interesting and profitable institute was ever held in this county. We are sorry that more of our educators have not been present at all the sessions. True, the weather has been simply execrable, but the pleasure and profit derived from attending the various sessions more than compensates for the physical discomfort almost inseparable from being one of a crowd in a room, with the mercury flitting with the top of the tube. The instruction given this week has been almost wholly in the form of lectures and discussions, and it has been of the most practical and interesting character. It is safe to say that the most experienced teacher in the county, the oldest veteran in his high vocation, could not fail to learn from this institute much which, if properly applied, would be of great use to him in the schoolroom and in the community. School men and women from all parts of the State have been here, and all have spoken to the assembled teachers and some of them have failed to say something of good for teachers and pupils.

The Institute was called to order in the Baptist church Monday morning by Superintendent Jay O'Daniel. The session was opened with devotional exercises led by the Rev. Frederick F. Shaanon, of Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. Shaanon followed this part of the program with what all who heard it declare was one of the best talks they ever heard. With his learning and experience, his eloquence and his wonderful vocabulary, Mr. Shaanon is able to interest any body of intelligent men and women, and he sure had just this kind of an audience last Monday morning. Mr. J. B. McClure, a veteran instructor was elected Vice President of the institute, and Supt. O'Daniel appointed Miss Emma Thompson secretary. Miss Thompson, a model teacher and accomplished young woman, makes a secretary without fault. Following these selections came the enrollment of the teachers as follows:

Addie Skeans	Carl C. Moore
Cypse Thompson	Bertha Prose
Emery Wheeler	Enoch Wheeler
David Adams	Forker Cordle
Gordon C. Burgess	Fred Steele
Moile Roberts	Luther Burton
Myrtle Carter	Daisy Bishop
Nora Roberts	Green Wellman
J. S. Judd	Martha Witten
G. M. Copley	Sherman Evans
Gypsey Hurchett	J. N. Holbrook
Virginia Skeans	J. N. Boggs
T. T. Thompson	Eugene Moore
Talmage Holton	Curtis Miller
George J. Bishop	Jina McGuire
James Casey	William Gambill
May Foster	Oscar Bailey
Clarence Stewart	Oscar Prince
A. W. Osborne	J. P. Skaggs
J. M. Dalton	H. R. Skaggs
Bertha Thompson	W. S. Boggs
C. B. Stuart	Drew Adams
Lafe Webb	Kenova Murray
Lizzie Carter	Leonard Lang
Hubert Berry	D. C. Clark
C. L. Blankenship	H. G. Thompson
Golda Pennington	Maud Smith
Sarah Martin	Nora Conley
Don C. Belcher	M. E. Sparka
Amos Cordle	Hattie Robinson
Otha Berry	E. S. Thompson
Herma Waller	Otto Bowling
G. C. Daniel	Curtis Queen
J. B. McClure	Arthur Justice
McClod's Sammons	Nence Vanhorn
Otto C. Gartin	Harmon O'Daniel
Ethel Akens	James L. Moore
L. Spencer	Shirley Hensley
Levi Steltenberger	Add Skeans
J. M. Moore	L. E. Bradley
Mrs. Birdie Shannon	Stanton Miller
Willie Dixon	Jack Thompson

Allen Miller Myrtle Queen  
Mrs. Mary McKinsten Nancy O'Daniel  
Mrs. Rhoda George Goldie Bellomy  
Mrs. Mary Davis Kate Thompson  
Martin Gambill Carson Elswick  
Nathan Georges Mary Justice  
J. N. Compton J. H. Ekers  
S. W. Burton Virginia Haje  
Mrs. Sada Stansbury Ethel Layne  
E. M. Kennisoe Hattie Berry  
W. M. Bylagton Baz Wellman  
Sallie Gearheart Lizzie Thompson  
Mae Sammons Dock Jordan  
Golda Byington J. N. Clark  
Ruth Norton Chas. Johnson  
Nora Sammons R. N. Boggs  
Isaac Cunningham Bascom Boyd  
Marie Gearheart Laura E. Carter  
Willie B. Cole D. G. Daniel  
Herbert Sparks Mrs. J. S. Judd  
Rachel Wheeler Scott Boyd

The work of the institute, under the direction of the instructor, Mr. J. W. Ireland, of Stanford, Ky. then began. He was here last year during the institute and did much in a musical line. This year he shows his versatility by conducting, much to the edification and pleasure of the teachers. Prof. T. J. Coates, of the Eastern Kentucky Normal College, Richmond, arrived Monday evening. He is a practical, up-to-the-second school man, a live wire in the machinery of teaching, and the institute was quick to respond to his personal magnetism and energy. In all lines and features of school work Prof. Coates is perfectly at home, apt and ready.

During Monday and Tuesday the teachers were addressed by Mr. Hopper, Superintendent of the Mt. Sterling city schools and represented.

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## SCHOLARLY ADDRESS.

### Prof. T. J. Coates Speaks to Large Audience in M. E. Church South.

There was no diving after the unfathomable, no soaring for the infinite by Prof. Coates in his admirable bit of entertainment presented to a pleased and perspiring audience at the M. E. Church South on Tuesday night. In his characteristic way he made himself at home with every man and woman in the assembly. In doors and out—for many stood on the sidewalk and heard every word of his lecture,—and when he had finished the regret that he had spoken too soon was general. Prof. Coates said he had not decided what to talk about until he saw his crowd. If his subject was decided by the appearance of the audience it shows that the speaker is something of a mind reader, for what he offered them was precisely what they wanted. It would be somewhat difficult to name this offspray of Prof. Coates' exuberant fancy. He took up some books and poems and some songs and discussed them in a very original and attractive way, endeavoring, successfully, too, to determine wherein lay the sentiment that appealed to the feelings, the emotions, of the reader and the hearer. To help in the analysis Prof. Coates quoted from Burns, Stanton, Riley, Twain, Stephen C. Foster, Allen, Dante and possibly some others. This wide and diversified range afforded his hearers glimpses into a field of literature not often permitted in the very brief time occupied on the occasion under consideration. His analysis of the action and the sentiment in Foster's "My Old Kentucky Home" was decidedly original and interesting, bringing to light as it did many things hitherto unknown to most of those present. For instance, the old home itself, as described by the speaker is entirely different from the one usually brought to the mind's eye by the sweet old song. "Weep No More, My Lady"—who of us had before last Tuesday evening any just conception of the true meaning of those tender words? The song may not be very much for music, but the sentiment is pure and sweet and has received new beauty by the exposition made by Prof. Coates.

The encouragement given by the colored "Auntie" of the ante-bellum days to her diffident lover—when she had put on her "dry rock"—might have helped some backward hachelor present to ask the fearful question, but Prof. Coates figura-

tively threw cold water on any new-formed resolutions by relating the direful fate of "Jacob Brown." The NEWS waits to pay here that it has often wondered where Henry Staaton found the prototype of the wife in "Jacob Brown." Surely not from Mrs. Stanton, for she was one of the most lovely and lovable of her sex.

## PAINTSVILLE WOMAN DEAD.

Mrs. Edna Prestoa, wife of L. F. Prestoa, Jr., of Paintsville, died at Riverview hospital on Friday afternoon last. The body was taken to her former home the following morning for interment. Mrs. Prestoa had been sick of puerperal peritonitis several days and was brought here in the hope that something might be done to save her life, but the disease had progressed too far to hope for recovery. Mrs. Prestoa was 33 and was the mother of several children. During her illness at the hospital she was the recipient of much kindness from our good people, and for this bereaved husband desires through this paper to express his heartfelt thanks.

## NO BONES BROKEN.

Four young ladies, two of this city and two visitors, all piled into one buggy Wednesday and took a drive to the country. Everything went smoothly for awhile, but on their return they had a falling out. Coming down the town hill the driver got things mixed and pulled the wrong string. Old Dobbin responded to the call and meandered down the hillside, upsetting the vehicle and spilling the occupants all over the grass. Considerable assistance was required to put matters to rights. No one was much hurt, but the horse is still wondering why his young friend turned him out of the regular road.

## ACCIDENTAL POISONING.

A near tragedy was narrowly averted Saturday evening. Mrs. Will Auxier and Mrs. Smith made some ice cream to sell for the benefit of the church. The ladies were being well patronized, when one of the children began to get sick, who had eaten of the cream and twenty-five or thirty were poisoned, some of the smaller ones growing violently ill. Physicians were called and soon had the cases all under control. "Tis thought that the zinc dipper used caused the trouble. Pike cor. Ashland Independent.

## WEST VIRGINIA CONVENTION

### Democrats Nominated Thompson for Governor by Acclamation.

Huntington, W. Va., July 17.—In the Democratic State convention, in session here today, these three facts stood out clearly:

The Democracy of West Virginia is unanimous in support of Woodrow Wilson for President and William R. Thompson, of Huntington, for Governor. The latter's nomination by acclamation last night was an unusual example of unanimity.

John T. McGraw, the original Wilson boomer, is without serious rival for the leadership of the party in the State.

Former Governor William A. MacCorkle's opposition at the Baltimore convention to Bryan's resolution denouncing the methods of Morgan, Belmont and Ryan was unpopular with the rank and file of the party.

An ovation lasting eight minutes followed the declaration of John H. Holt, of Huntington, temporary Chairman, that the world had produced two great commoners, William Pitt and William Bryan.

## New State Committee.

The new State committee, by districts, is made up as follows: First District, J. B. Handlan; Second, John B. Slippner; Third, Joe Murphy; Fourth, J. H. Depew; Fifth, George I. Neal; Sixth, Wyndham Stokes; Seventh, W. H. McGinnis; Eighth, R. S. Carry Ninth, Charles W. Osenton; Tenth, Samuel Hayes; Eleventh, C. L. Shaver; Twelfth, J. Carl Vance; Thirteenth, Lon W. Bartlett; Fourteenth, R. A. Welch; Fifteenth, Gray Silver.

## HOMICIDE.

### Mack Bailey Shot Dead by Bud Collins in Magoffin County.

### His Slayer Flees and is Pursued by State Guards. He is Still In Hiding.

The NEWS told last week of the killing of Bailey, and the following particulars from a Magoffin county paper will be interesting:

Last Sunday at four o'clock Bud Collins, age 22, shot and instantly killed Mack Bailey, age 19, near the head of Little Paut, this county.

It seems that some several months ago the two young men had some bitter words over a base ball game. They had no further trouble until both of them began to call on the same girl. The young woman is reported to have gone with Bailey in preference to Collins, and on last Sunday after church refused to go with Collins again, when he said, "I'll kill Mack Bailey."

He mounted his mule and fired one shot while his revolver was under his coat and galloped down the creek. He induced on Dennis Saylor to get in the saddle and go with him. When they had come upon Mack Bailey and his younger brother Taylor, age 15, and Charley Adams, age 18, Collins dismounted and pulled his revolver on Mack Bailey, saying, "D— you if you speak I'll shoot you." Bailey stood still and Collins repeated the sentence, firing the fatal shot that took effect over the right eye. Young Bailey and Adams took hold of Collins. Adams and young Bailey then released Collins who then shot at Adams, who fell to the ground and feigned to be killed. Collins then started after a third man when young Bailey had taken his dead brother's revolver and emptied it at Collins, who ran back up the road. Collins had received a stah in the back which caused him to lose a great deal of blood. He had his wound dressed Sunday afternoon at the home of his Uncle Nelse Collins, and made his escape into the woods. He was accompanied by his Uncle, Nelson, who has a Winchester gun, and some other friends and relatives. It is reported that his Uncle Nelson said that they would die before they would be taken.

On Monday some of the deputy sheriffs searched for Collins but have been unable to find him. Henry Brown, County Jailor, and Floyd Patrick arrested Dennis Saylor, who is now in the county jail awaiting his examining trial. Eddie and Fred Bailey, brothers of Mack Bailey, have been in the saddle constantly since the murder. They are infuriated over the act and want no rest until they find Collins.

The shooting took place near the home of "Black" Green Adams. There is a reward of \$150 for the arrest of Collins.—Mountaineer.

In response to a telegram from the judge of Magoffin county, R. C. Saylor, Acting Governor McDermott ordered Capt. Clasco to take 20 members of the Magoffin militia and arrest the fugitive Collins.

The homicide created a great deal of excitement in parts of Magoffin and Johnson counties. It is said that the killing occurred in Johnson county.

The following telegram tells of the withdrawal of the troops and the reason for so doing:

Frankfort, Ky., July 13.—Messengers from the seat of war in Magoffin county, where twenty members of Company D, Second regiment, Kentucky National Guard, have been in pursuit of Bud Collins, accused of the murder of Mack Bailey were received to-day by Acting Gov. McDermott and Col. J. Tandy Ellis, Acting Adjutant General. The messengers stated that the soldiers have been relieved from duty, but do not state whether the fugitive was captured. Acting Gov. McDermott wired County Judge Saylor to-day for further information

regarding the situation. He said if the fugitive is offering armed resistance to the officers the militia may continue in service, but they cannot be used for a search. He said it would be cheaper for the State to offer a reward than to keep the soldiers on duty.

## SMALL BLAZE.

The alarm of fire about noon on Monday last was caused by the partial burning of the wash house in the rear of the property on Main street occupied by H. C. Sullivan. A maa who had been taking honey from some beehives on the premises had used some hunches of lighted rags in his work and had thrown the rags into the wash house, supposing they were not burning. Some time afterwards a servant had occasion to open the door of the building and found the interior all ablaze. She gave the alarm and the neighbors and the fire department extinguished the fire, but not until the building was practically ruined. Mrs. Sullivan lost a large quantity of canned fruit, jellies and the like, representing the expenditure of much material and physical endeavor. The blaze was a small one, but its possibilities were large. The wash house was only a few feet from the residence, a large two-story frame, and just across a narrow alley are a number of frame residences and business houses ending only with the fire wall of the Pierce building. It happened that the water supply was low, and the loss would have been very great.

## BEGINS LIFE ANEW.

### Orson Jordan, Born in Lawrence County, Paroled from W. Va. Penitentiary.

Moundsville, W. Va., July 15.—The West Virginia Penitentiary has turned out a new and wonderful prison product in Orson Jordan. Jordan was illiterate when he entered the penitentiary nine years ago as a highwayman. He leaves prison an educated man, under parole of Governor Glasscock.

Now he has a passion for good books. Before he couldn't distinguish one letter of the alphabet from another. He knows geography. He has studied physiology. He has mastered arithmetic. He can write a fluent hand.

When he was sent up from Mingo county, for robbery to serve ten years, Jordan lacked character. In the light of his learning he declares that he was a criminal because he was ignorant. He believes now that he will make a good citizen because he is educated.

## Wants To Be Honest.

"My prison experience has proved profitable to me," said Jordan as he walked out of the prison a free man. "I was handicapped in my early youth by lack of education, but through the prison school I have qualified myself to earn an honest living."

Owing to the fact that he was released on parole, Jordan did not get a choice of occupations. For the next year he is still in the custody of the penitentiary officials and during that time he will work on a farm at Captina, whose owner secured his services by signing up the usual employment papers used in parole cases.

The education of Jordan was accomplished by the "reform, not revenge" policy of Warden Brown, of the West Virginia State Prison. The average prisoner who comes to the pen lacks education, but he may, if he elects, attend school during seven months of the year. When "vacation" began this summer there were 150 convicts taking advantage of this educational opportunity.

## Taught By Charts.

These full-grown men are taught the rudiments of learning just as are children in the primary grades of the public schools. Charts are used in teaching geography, physiology, writing, arithmetic and spelling.

The school hours are from 5 to 7 o'clock in the evenings, as the convicts are employed during the day in the factories which have the contract for the labor of the con-

## Convicts Are Teachers.

R. L. Thompson, a guard who was formerly a school teacher, is the Superintendent of the school, and the teachers, numbering about 12, are convicts some of them highly educated men.

An unusual case in the penitentiary school here is that of W. H. Hardwick, of Kanawha-co., who is serving a life sentence. Hardwick, though 66 years of age, was unable, until a few months ago, to recite the alphabet. Within the last year he began attendance at the prison school and he is progressing at a remarkable rate despite his advanced age.—Cincinnati Post.

This maa Jordna was born in this county, where he has numerous highly respectable relatives. It was through no fault of theirs that he went wrong when young, and that he was imprisoned casts no reproach on their good name. The NEWS publishes the foregoing because it will be read by his people who were sorry Jordan had to be punished for his misdoings, and they will be glad to know of the great reformation that has been wrought, and that he has been liberated to begin anew the battle of life.

## HIG COAL CONTRACT.

It is rumored on what is considered pretty good authority that the Consolidation Coal & Coke Co. has made a contract with the C and O. railway whereby the road agrees to carry the output of the coal company's mines, no matter how great that output may be. According to this contract the C. and O. will have to move from Jenkins from 200 to 500 or more cars of coal daily. This means many things, among them a largely increased rolling stock, bigger locomotives and improved roadbed. There is said to be at this time a large amount of coal awaiting transportation. It is thought by some that the road from Elkhorn City to Jenkins will be ready for business by September next, others make the date much later.

## THE SICK.

Mrs. Ella Hayes, who has a bad attack of asthma, is somewhat better and able to sit up. Nick Maguire, at the hospital, is a little improved. Mrs. Roy Wright, who was recently operated upon for appendicitis, is much improved. She is also at the hospital.

## PIPE LINE ASSURED.

### Contract Closed With Cumberland Pipe Line Co., Work to Begin at Once.

Mr. Tolles, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mr. Bahan, of Somerset, Ky., President and Vice President of the Cumberland Pipe Line Co., were in Louisa this week. While here they signed a contract to build a pipe line from Busseyville to Louisa to carry the product of this oil field to market. The work of construction is to begin as soon as the pipe is on the ground, and shipment of the pipe will be made at once. A large storage tank, sufficient to hold the product of the wells in the Busseyville field during the laying of the pipe line, will be immediately placed on the ground.

The Burgess-Garred oil well at Busseyville flowed last week. The owners of the well are consequently jubilant.

## Distressing Occurrences.

Whitesburg, Ky., July 15.—The 8-year-old son of Daugherty Adams, Jr., Lower Rockhouse Creek farmer, was sent to the mountain to see about a hen's nest. His failure to arrive on time caused his mother to send a younger brother after him. When the younger brother failed to return the mother went to investigate. She found a big rattlesnake coiled in the nest and her two little boys lying dead. After a desperate effort she succeeded in killing the reptile. Returning to the home, she found her little 8-year-old boy drowned in the washtub.



## ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM MANY STATES

Important News Gathered from Abroad for the Benefit of Our Readers.

Extensive damage to tobacco and corn from hail in Montgomery county is reported.

A Lexington woman, Mrs. Frances Beauchamp, was elected secretary of the National Committee of the Prohibition party.

The Senate decided to postpone the Archbald impeachment trial, which is said to be in accord with the wishes of the jurist.

The largest three-months' business in the history of the postal service is shown by the latest financial statement of Auditor Kram, of the Postoffice Department.

The Minneapolis, St. Louis and Canadian Railway Company, which will build a line from the vicinity of Watertown, S. D., to the Canadian boundary, was organized in Minneapolis.

John S. Rhen, who is opposing R. Y. Thomas for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Third district, is confined to his room at Glasgow as the result of injuries received in a runaway accident.

James P. Hawkins, former clerk in the Louisville postoffice, who was arrested in Washington as the result of insistence that he be made Republican compromise candidate for President, was adjudged to be of unsound mind.

An investigation has shown that the explosion of the gas envelope of Melvin Vaniman's airship, which caused the death of five men, was due, not to the action of the sun's rays, as at first supposed, but to a fault in construction.

The first verdict of death returned in Todd county in sixty years was that reported when, after twenty-five minutes of consideration, the jury in the case of Leon Tallafiero, a negro, found the defendant guilty of criminal assault.

At the election in the province of Saskatchewan, Canada, the desire for reciprocity with the United States was reaffirmed by a vote of five to one. The Alberta elections take place soon, and reciprocity sentiment is expected to sweep that province also.

At a conference between the President and Senator Bradley it was decided that Alfred R. Dyche should be appointed postmaster at Louisville, Ky., to succeed Lee B. McIlhenny, who was summarily removed because of an editorial attack on President Taft in his newspaper. W. H. Turner will be reappointed postmaster at Middleshoro.

An army board was instructed to proceed to Honolulu July 31 to study the problem of an impregnable naval and military station in the Pacific.

Representative John W. Langley introduced a bill in the House authorizing the Secretary of War to grant leases to highest bidders on surplus water power created by Government dams in the Kentucky river.

Advice that throughout a large section of Minnesota grain had been flattened to the ground by a storm caused a bull market in the wheat pit. The cotton market advanced 2 1/2 to 24 points over Tuesday's close.

The July crop report issued by the Commissioner of Agriculture shows that conditions generally in Kentucky are much improved as compared with a month ago. Corn and tobacco are reported to have suffered from excessive rainfalls.

Alleging that raspberry jam purchased under a guarantee as to purity contained broken glass, and asserting that his health was impaired through eating it, Capt. J. H. Clements, of Louisville, filed suit against a grocery company for \$25,000.

The National Prohibition Convention concluded its labors with the nomination by acclamation of the party standard-bearer of four years ago—Eugene W. Chaffin, of Arizona, for President, and Aaron S. Watkins, of Ohio, for Vice President.

The Department of Agriculture's July crop report forecasts plentiful yields of important crops. The reporting board estimates that crops are better than at the same time last year by 5.9 per cent, and gives the area planted as 241,155,000 acres.

Jack Johnson, champion pugilist, who with his wife, recently was indicted by the Federal grand jury on a charge of smuggling a diamond necklace into this country, was arrested in Chicago, charged with striking and intimidating Charles Brown, a negro chauffeur, one of the Government's principal witnesses in the case.

Within less than a fortnight Col. Roosevelt will begin the campaign trips which are to carry him into almost every State of the Union before the November election. A protest against any hint of sectionalism in the new progressive party was made by Col. Roosevelt, who said that he did not "care a rap" where a man was born or whether his father were the blue or gray, so long as he was the right type.

By invitation of the State Board of Agriculture representatives of the railroads operating in Kentucky will meet with it July 20 to devise ways and means by which railroads may cooperate in building up the agriculture and livestock interests of the State.

The jury in the case of Claude Allen, charged with being implicated in the Hillsville murder in Judge Massey's court room, reported a deadlock Saturday, and was discharged. Eight stood out for first degree murder, and four for acquittal.

It is believed in Washington that President Taft will not appoint a successor to Secretary C. D. Hilliker, who has been chosen Republican campaign manager, but that the place will be kept open until after the November election when Mr. Hilliker is expected to return to the White House.

Upon the assumption that there is on foot a plan among tobacco officeholders of the so-called tobacco trust to organize under the laws of Great Britain and amalgamate once more supposedly independent subsidiaries of the American Tobacco Company, the Executive Committee of the Tobacco Workers' International Union, meeting in Louisville, decided to send a committee to Canada to make an investigation.

Helen Craggs, the British suffragette who some weeks ago broke through a cordon of police and sprang out of Home Secretary Reginald McKenna, yesterday was charged in the Police Court at Oxford, England with being in Nuneham Park, the country residence of Home Secretary Lewis Harcourt with the intention of setting fire to the mansion. A male suffragist attacked Chancellor Lloyd-George as he was entering a South London theater.

W. F. McCombs was unanimously elected chairman of the Democratic National Committee.

His name was suggested by Committee member Hudspeeth, of New Jersey, who assured the committee that the choice would meet with the approval of Gov. Woodrow Wilson, the nominee.

Joseph E. Davies, of Madison, Wis., was elected secretary of the committee, to succeed Grey Woolson, of Kentucky.

Elkton, Ky., July 13.—Isom Tallafiero, negro, to-day was sentenced to death in the electric chair by a jury in the Todd Circuit Court, on a charge of assault committed April 3, 1912, upon the wife of a young farmer living in the western part of Todd county.

The negro was tracked in the mud by a mob and captured at his home about two miles from where the crime was committed. While the mob was arranging for a hanging the prisoner was rescued by a Deputy Sheriff.

He has been confined for safekeeping at the Bowling Green Jail until yesterday, when he was brought here for trial.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 11.—That a \$9,000 note, bearing the name of a man whose estate is valued at \$40,000, should be sold for \$300 and a quantity of wax is an amazing twist to the suit brought by C. S. Cooley and S. Barrett. It is alleged the note was signed by J. Alexander Brown, a former professor of Cynthia, Ky. The signature of the note was declared by the widow, Mrs. Blatch Brown, to be a forgery. George C. Pickrel, a bank official, who handled Brown's checks and notes, said it is genuine. Barrett testified Wednesday that the note was bought from a man named Carpenter. At first Carpenter wanted \$1,000, but finally agreed to accept \$300 cash and "some wax."

Overturning the majority of its own committee, and reversing its vote of March 1, 1911, the Senate took away from William Lorimer his seat as junior Senator from Illinois by a vote of 55 to 28. A member of the Senate since June 18, 1909, Mr. Lorimer was declared to have been the recipient of votes secured by "corrupt methods and practices," and his election was held to have been invalid. Facing his associates with the declaration, "I am ready," the man who for three days had held the Senate to close attention with his remarkable speech of defense and attack, sat in the chamber and heard his fate decreed as the rollcall showed the adoption of the resolution of Senator Luke Lea.

A counterfeiter is working in Chicago and has passed several bills, most of which have been changed from \$10 to \$100. Capt. Thomas I. Porter, of the United States Secret Service Bureau received one of

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the raised bills, which had been passed on the Corn Exchange National Bank. The bank was unable to trace to the original possessor. The bill was a \$100 note on the American National Bank of Steubenville, O. It was raised to a \$100 bill denomination by pasting on an additional cipher. A \$10 bill was cut up for the purpose. This is the sixth \$100 bill of the kind received by Capt. Porter. The others were on the Wisconsin National Bank of Milwaukee. Others of smaller denominations, evidently the work of the same counterfeiter, have turned up.

Fifteen thousand men are engaged in repairing damage done by the cloudburst in Denver. Estimates of property loss run as high as \$5,000,000. Practically the entire wholesale and factory districts were flooded.

At daylight hundreds of men, women and children had been gathered into the city auditorium to be fed and cared for by the city. Hundreds of homes were in ruins. Mayor Arnold, with volunteer relief parties, had directed the rescue work throughout the night. When telegraph communication from points up the creek was renewed, many tales of thrilling rescues and great suffering were received.

At its meeting in Louisville last week the Col. W. H. D. Cochran, of Mayfield, was chosen State campaign chairman, or, rather, drafted for the job, without a chance to decline. Col. Cochran is now in the East. He was agreed on all sides that he would make a most capable campaign chairman and he will be prevailed upon to accept.

Col. Cochran will have the selection of four associates on the State Campaign Committee. In addition a State Advisory and Financial Committee, composed of one member from each district and two from the State-at-large, was provided for. The Ninth District member of the financial and advisory board will be W. A. Glas, of Ashland.

Figures in dispatches from Frankfort show that in three years Boone county has cost the State nothing for witness fees in felony cases. Last year the jailer drew from State officers only \$140, and of that amount \$60 was for fuel. This is explained, is not because Boone county is negligent about pursuing lawless persons, but because its citizens are law-abiding.

The contrary presented by Hill county is striking. Witness fees in felony cases in a year exceeded \$5,000. The transportation of prisoners cost \$1,200. The jailer drew more than \$2,000 in a year for the care of State prisoners, exclusive of county and Federal prisoners.

It is probable that the assurance Henry R. Lawrence, of the Cadiz Record, had that he would be taken care of in Governor McCrory's appointments kept him out of the congressional race in the First district. Mr. Lawrence has taken hold of his work on the prison board with zeal and energy. He has been making a special study of prison conditions and reforms for some time in anticipation of his duties. He expects to spend most of his time in Frankfort. John S. Lawrence, who is vice president of the Kentucky Press Association, will do most of the writing on the Record from now on and George Lawrence the youngest of the three Lawrence brothers, was admitted last week as a member of the firm which publishes the excellent Trigg county newspaper.—Embroke Journal.

Frankfort, Ky., July 13.—Crime in Kentucky does not flourish with the aid of the Court of Appeals in reversing the judgments of the lower courts in criminal cases. During the last year there have been 46 criminal cases affirmed and 19 reversed by the Appellate Court, classified as follows:

Murder, 19 affirmed, 2 reversed; malicious shooting, 2 reversed; voluntary manslaughter, 10 affirmed, 4 reversed; confederating to intimidate, 1 reversed; molesting prisoner on escape, 1 reversed; obtaining money under false pretenses, 2 affirmed, 1 reversed; breaking into a depot, 1 reversed; detaining a

woman, 1 reversed; grand larceny 2 affirmed, 2 reversed; stealing from a common carrier, 3 affirmed; arson, 1 affirmed, 1 reversed; burglary, 2 affirmed; rape, 1 affirmed, 1 reversed; false swearing, 2 reversed; housebreaking, 2 affirmed; bigamy, 1 affirmed; horse stealing, 1 affirmed; robbery, 2 affirmed.

These figures were prepared by Charles Morris, First Assistant Attorney-General, because of an attack made on the Kentucky Court of Appeals and Courts generally by Charles Snyder, who stated that if one committed under it is better than 3 to 1 that he will never be brought to trial; better than 10 to 1 that he will never be sentenced, and better than 50 to 1 that he will never be hanged or electrocuted.

Mr. C. F. Creel, Secretary of State, on whom devolves the duty of putting into execution the law providing for the State-wide primary election on August 3, expects to have no trouble with the initial election. He regards it as fortunate, however, that the first primary of this kind comes on an "off year," when the fewest number of offices are to be nominated. Secretary of State Creel is now preparing the form of ballots to be used and will certify some to the 120 County Clerks of the State. As the State primary will be held each year on the first Saturday in August, it will be a reminder of the old "August election," the time-honored institution that passed away with the adoption of the new Constitution.

Claude Grasham-White and his bride did not make their wedding trip by aeroplane, as they had planned, but they made part of the return trip through the air. They sailed together over the English Channel from France on their return trip.

Mr. Grasham-White literally flew to his wedding, and Tom Sopwith, Robert Lornbe, Gustave Hamel and several other air men used their machines to go to the ceremony, which was performed at a little church in Widdow, Essex. The bride was Miss Dorothy Taylor, daughter of Bertrand Leroy Taylor, of New York. They met first on an ocean steamer. During their courtship they made frequent flights together.

Lexington, Ky., July 11.—The work of laying the pipe line connecting Lexington with the West Virginia gas fields will begin next week, and the gas supply from that section will be in Lexington ready for consumers on December 1, according to the statement of Capt. John Tonkin, of Oil City, Pa., manager of the Central Kentucky Natural Gas Company, which supplies this city. Capt. Tonkin, who arrived here today, stated that a pipe line would be laid from Menifee county, Ky., from which this city derives its present supply of gas, to the West Virginia fields. Capt. Tonkin said that several hundred men would be put on the job, but that it had not been positively decided whether the company would lay the new pipe line itself or let the work to contractors.

New York, July 11.—Gen. Daniel E. Sickles waved the almost-forgotten "bloody shirt" at the first meeting of the new Theodore Roosevelt National Progressive party in the tower of the Metropolitan building today. He declared, in unmistakable language, that Gov. Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, was not fit to sit in the Presidential chair at the White House because he was born among rebel surroundings and because "his family had fought in the Confederate army." He added: "We don't want a repetition of the secession movement."

The only inference to be drawn from Gen. Sickles' address was that with Wilson as President a State would be privileged to withdraw from the Union.

The seventy-five members of the new party who had gathered to add "each his mite" to the Roosevelt boom had come, under forced draught enthusiasm, prepared to let off patriotic steam and start the new party on its way with a whoop, but the unexpected trend of Gen. Sickles' remarks cooled their ardor; they sat silent—dumfounded.

Finally some one gave a cheer for Roosevelt and the new party was born.

Maysville, Ky., July 12.—Jennings Dickson, aged 15, shot and killed Delmore Nash, aged 14, Thursday evening.

Dickson claims that Nash had been stealing apples out of his father's orchard and was in the orchard at the time Dickson shot with the intention of frightening the boy. The ball, a 22-caliber out of a rifle, struck young Nash in the right side and passed through his body, killing him almost instantly.

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Leave Ashland, express, daily, 4:17 a. m., 6:23 a. m., 1:00 p. m. Locals 4:05 a. m., week days 12:43 p. m., daily.

East-bound, Main Line. Leave Ashland, express, daily, 3:35 p. m., 10:09 p. m., 12:35 a. m. Local, daily to Huntington, 12:46 p. m.; runs to Hilton week days. Local, week days, to Huntington, 3:45 p. m.; 4:33 a. m., daily Virginia Railway points via Des Moines.

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Friday, July 10, 1912.

### DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President,  
WOODROW WILSON, of New Jersey  
For Vice President,  
THOS. R. MARSHALL, of Indiana.

### FOR CONGRESS.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of  
W. J. FIELDS, of Carter County, for Representative in Congress from the Ninth district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Col. Harvey, of Harper's Weekly, has come out flat footed for Woodrow Wilson for President.

Shirt waists for men were in evidence at the institute but they were not of the peekaboo variety.

—Savannah News: The Democrats acted wisely in naming for Vice President a man of presidential size.

The Maysville Public Ledger has a wedding announcement headlined "Clinch-Younger."  
How much younger?

Editor Jim Lemon has started a crusade against kissing. If Jim's the man who takes only two baths a year he is in no danger.

Stephen Grover Cleveland was the name of the last Democratic President. Thomas Woodrow Wilson will be the name of the next.

Women's skirts, it is said, will be tighter next fall and winter than they are this summer.

Some of them leave very little to the imagination now.

Roosevelt wants as many Democratic votes as he can get, but he will not get as many as he wants by almost enough to start a riot.—Lexington Herald.

For a good, appropriate hot weather name, that of the chief of the bureau of Chemistry at Washington takes the ice cream: R. E. Reat Easy?—Doolittle.

Judge T. B. Blakey, of Beattyville, has withdrawn from the race for Appellate Judgeship in the Seventh district, leaving the contest open to Judge A. J. Kirk, of Paintsville.

Lealla Combs, who is considered the head of the Roosevelt followers in Kentucky, declared that a complete organization on permanent lines would be made for the new Progressive party in Kentucky, and that candidates for minor officers would be selected as soon as practicable.

Charles D. Hilles, the new chairman of the Republican National Committee, has issued a statement in which he declares that "The Republican party approaches the Presidential campaign with confidence in the solemnity of its cause."  
The near approach of death and burial usually provoke "solemnity."

Sweeping reductions in express rates averaging, in general, approximately 15 per cent; drastic reforms in regulations and practices, and comprehensive changes in the methods of operation are prescribed in a report made public by the Interstate Commerce Commission of its investigation into the business of the thirteen great express companies of the United States.

These thirteen companies, practically one giant monopoly, can stand a reduction of 50 per cent, and continue to grow rich.

Readers of the NEWS may remember that in a New York letter published three or four weeks ago mention was made of the Woolworth building now being erected in that city. The last rivet in the iron work was driven a few days ago, and on Sunday two girls climbed to the dizzy top of the structure and were photographed. It is 750 feet from the street to the point where the dome begins and this will add 50 feet more to the height. It will be the highest structure ever built by man.

—Springfield Republican: The contrast between Marshall and Sherman speaks for itself. Sherman is universally recognized as a loud, which M. Taft, already overburdened, must carry. Gov. Marshall, on the other hand, brings to Gov. Wilson the added strength of his own popularity in Indiana, an important State which Mr. Taft carried by only a narrow margin four years ago, which is now represented by two Democratic Senators, and which should without further question be counted in the Democratic column as a result of putting Gov. Marshall on the ticket.

Although the Republican nomination for Congress in the Ninth District is the simplest of honors, there are two aspirants for it. Harry Bailey, of Cythiana, and E. S. Hitchins, of Olive Hill, Carter County. Mr. Hitchins, who is an ardent supporter of Colonel Roosevelt, is a wealthy firebrick manufacturer of Eastern Kentucky. He was one of the Roosevelt "delegates at-large" to the Chicago convention, and took a prominent part in the councils of the Roosevelt supporters. The Ninth District was reapportioned at the last session of the Legislature, and is now refully Democratic. Congressman W. J. Fields, of Carter County, the incumbent, has no opposition for the Democratic nomination.

### SHOULD PROHIBIT.

A prohibitory law which fails to prohibit should be wiped off the books. There is no more than one of these laws among the ordinances of the city of Louisville, but just now attention is called to it—one—the one relating to stock running at large. The law is a good one, but it doesn't prohibit when a boy, or man, starts to urinate from pasture with his cows and lets them get half a mile ahead, for when they do it is worse for shade trees and gardens.

Two vagrant cows broke into a main street garden Tuesday morning and in a few minutes destroyed the result of much toil and sweat. It's an easy matter to teach cows to "lead," and much better for the good of the truck patch.

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### Notice To School Trustees.

Supt. O'Daniel notifies school trustees that elections will be held this year in only one-half the districts, that is, districts where the term of the trustees has expired. Election blanks, reports and so forth have been mailed to those districts.

## INSTITUTE.

(Continued from page one.)

representative of the American Book Co., Mr. Eubanks, of Lexington, representing the Kentucky School Journal, Mr. Edgar Richardson, principal of the Elkton city schools, and Mr. W. B. Ward, of Prestonsburg. Mr. Ward made an eloquent address which elicited much favorable comment.

Wednesday was trustee day for the institute, and the work done along the line of educating the county school trustees in the responsible duties of their office was excellent and the results will be far reaching. These officers are manifesting more than ordinary interest in their work and the attendance at school will be largely increased in consequence of renewed diligence on part of the trustees. Mrs. Charles F. Weaver, a noted club woman and lecturer of Louisville, and Mrs. Corn Wilson Stewart, the noted "Moonlight School" woman of Rowan county, arrived here Wednesday morning and devoted the day to institute work. Both these prominent ladies are powerful factors in the creation of a new Kentucky and in the uplift of the people through the work of the schools. Our people, many of them had heard Mrs. Wilson before and were glad to hear her again. She spoke on her favorite topic, "Moonlight Schools," to a large audience in the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon. If the NEWS mistakes not the present is Mrs. Weaver's first visit to Louisville, but it is sincerely hoped it will not be her last. She spoke to the institute Wednesday morning on school organization and created a most favorable impression. She is a woman of education and culture, of pleasing manner, and has a voice which strikes the ear most agreeably. Because of various things it has been difficult for the managers of the institute to follow very closely any fixed lines of procedure, and it has been difficult to give a full report in the NEWS, consequently what it does present will be somewhat patchwork in its appearance and character.

### Another Entertainment Course

Notwithstanding the fact that the promoter of the Lyceum Course of attractions in this city last season did not make a cent on the venture, Mr. G. A. Nash has determined to try the enterprise again the coming season and provide the people of this city and vicinity with another program of high class entertainments. Arrangements have been concluded for the presentation of a five course series by the Cleveland Bureau, a lyceum which has furnished very popular and delightful entertainment in most of the cities of the Union. Believing that the patrons of the course will appreciate a musical number more than a lecture, Mr. Nash has decided to eliminate the lecture number and offer a musical event instead. All but one of the attractions have been secured and the fifth is under consideration. Due notice of the dates and the attractions will be given in the NEWS. The first event will probably be dated in October.

### Plaintiffs Well Known Here.

The defendant filed four pleas on Thursday at U. S. Clerk's office in the case of James A. Moffett vs. The Baltimore & Ohio, which suit was brought to recover \$10,000 damages for the death of Cecil Calmes, an Ohio River brakeman, who was killed in a wreck near Mercer Bottoms, December 27, 1910. The first plea is "not guilty," the second is that J. A. Moffett and Sophia E. Moffett, mother of Calmes who defendant states was indifferently known as Cecil Calmes or Cecil Moffett, were paid by the defendant \$1,000 in discharge of all claims on this account and that they signed a deed of release; two more pleas are to the effect that George M. Calmes, father of the deceased was also paid, receiving \$1,250 on this account, and also signed a deed of release.—Huntington Tribune.

### LOOK MR. FARMER LOOK.

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### PRESIDENTIAL ELECTOR

In Tenth Kentucky District is Roosevelt Man. 'Tis Said.

Washington, July 11.—Difficulties confronting the Presidential Electors in the ultra-progressive states have been emphasized by the report circulated in Kentucky Republican circles today that the Republican Presidential Elector in the Tenth Kentucky District is a pronounced Roosevelt man and will vote for Colonel Roosevelt if he enters the Electoral College.

The Tenth Kentucky District is overwhelmingly Republican. At the district convention, as a compromise between the Taft and Roosevelt forces, the Chairmanship of the convention was given to a Taft man, while one of Colonel Roosevelt's supporters was named as Elector.

At that time no such spirit as now confronts the party was anticipated and it was, of course, presumed that the Elector would go ahead, as had always been the case, and vote for the Taft candidacy. But with the third party ticket in the field and the Roosevelt forces using every effort to pick off Electors, either by states or individually, the situation in the Tenth Kentucky District is similar to that in Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Kansas and other states.

When the attitude of the Tenth District Kentucky Elector finally is determined steps will likely be taken by the Taft forces to straighten out the middle, so that the President will be insured of the entire Electoral vote of Kentucky instead of 12, if the state goes Republican.

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### Services In The Park.

The NEWS has been requested to say that the Waukesha girls will hold services in Fountain Park next Sunday at 2 and 7 p. m.

Jack Kingham, the well known former C. & O. detective, died in the West Virginia Insane Asylum last week and was buried in the Huntington cemetery last Thursday.

Health Officer, Dr. W. D. Entor, served notice on the Ashland Water Works Co., that they were furnishing to the city, contrary to law, and in a manner that was injurious to the health and happiness of the inhabitants of the city.

The Health Officer claims that this water in its present state is injurious and unsatisfactory for domestic use, and he warns the Ashland Water Works Co., that if same is not treated in some manner, so that the water is improved, proceedings for criminal negligence will be instituted at once.

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## Big Sandy News

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Given Away—Ladies' and Children's Hats at Pierce's.

The P. H. Vaughan residence looks fine in a fresh coat of paint.

Balls, gloves, bats and all baseball goods at Conley's. Also tennis balls.

Mr. W. B. Ward, editor of the Prestonsburg Monitor, favored this office with a call Monday.

Conley's store has a nice line of bar plas in gold, silver and enamelled goods—the very latest designs.

FOR RENT:—Residence in Louisa. Five rooms and bath. Desirable location. Apply to A. M. HUGHES.

The Rev. Mr. Cayton, of Busseyville, was called to Cincinnati Friday to see his father who is dangerously ill.

The editor of the NEWS was in Lexington and Frankfort this week, attending a meeting of the Board of Prison Commissioners.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Skeenes and Miss Fannie Thompson were among the Boyd county teachers who visited the Lawrence Institute.

Dr. Atkins, of 12 Pole, Wayne county, and Mr. and Mrs. Queen, of the same locality, were here Wednesday. Mrs. Queen went to River-view hospital for treatment.

The celebrated "fat lady," Miss Gerty Davis, from up Big Sandy, passed through here last week enroute to Charleston where she will take part in a show.—Ceredo Advance.

Sunday was a sizzling hot day, and in some churches the pastors announced that the removal of coats during service would not be considered as impropriety. Several were removed.

The fourth and last quarterly meeting for the conference year will be held at the M. E. Church South next Sunday. Presiding Elder O. F. Williams will be here Sunday night.

In an accident on the B. and O. 24 miles south of Parkersburg, on Thursday last Mrs. Lewis Demery, of Inez, was badly shaken up. No one was killed, but the fireman's leg and arm were broken.

Mr. John W. Riley, well known in our city, and who has many friends here, but now resides in Louisa, Ky., is a pleasant visitor with relatives and friends here.—Williamson West Virginian.

Miss Pearl Walter, Mrs. E. C. Berry and Miss Lydia Morris, of Blaine, Ky., and Mrs. A. J. Ellis and Mr. George T. Ellis, of Jackson, W. Va., were registered at the Brunswick last Saturday.

Quite informally but very pleasantly, Miss Victoria Garred entertained some of her young friends Tuesday evening. Her guest, Mr. Clarke, of Lexington, has been the recipient of much attention.

The Rev. F. P. Shannon and son Frederick left Louisa Wednesday morning to spend a week with friends in Logan, W. Va. He will then go to York, Pa., where Mrs. Shannon is, and will then go to Round Lake, N. Y., and lecture for the Chautauqua.

## SECRETARY THOMPSON.

Washington, July 17.—It was announced officially at the White House this afternoon that Carmi A. Thompson, of Irouton, O., would be the private secretary of President Taft, succeeding Chas. D. Hillier, who resigned to manage President Taft's campaign.

Carmi Thompson was born on Mill creek, Wayne county, not far from Fort Gay, and lived there until nearly grown. He moved to Ohio and became a lawyer. He was active in politics and was elected Secretary of State. Mr. Thompson has numerous relatives in Wayne county, and Mrs. R. L. Vlusou, of this city, is a cousin.

## DO YOU LOVE HONEY?

When asking your wife this question put it this way: Do you love honey, honey? See the difference the little comma makes, but the answer is the same: I do, if it is good and pure. Well, send to Dr. M. A. Aulick, Bradford, Ky., and get a sample of the best honey—and the purest—over made by a bee. It is a delight to the eye, the palate and the stomach. Dr. Aulick has been selling the produce of his apiary in this section for some time, and it gives entire satisfaction. And you will be sure to get honey.

## SOMETHING NEW.

A 5-10 and 25c store will be opened up by August 10th or 15th in one of the H. E. Evans buildings. This store will be a great advantage to the people of Louisa and vicinity. You will be able to buy more goods for 5c at that store than you can buy for 15c elsewhere. Watch for the opening day as there will be great attractions. J. ISRAISKY Manager.

## MISERABLE WEATHER.

From Saturday to Tuesday inclusive the weather was torrid—92 in the shade when you could find any. Then came a hard rain which brought some relief, but it is still hot, damp and sticky. The death roll in the cities has been very large and the suffering continues.

## Only A Portion Omitted.

Miss Julia Snyder had planned a picture party and the usual second part for some young friends for last Monday evening, but Eldorado had closed doors that evening and this part of the entertainment had to be omitted. The dainty refreshment offered at her home, however left nothing to be regretted.

## Call For Convention.

A call is hereby made for a mass convention of Progressives to meet at the Court House in Louisa, Saturday, July 27, to select delegates to a District Convention to be held at Ashland, Ky., August 1st, 1912. All in favor of the Progressive Movement are invited to attend. T. B. BILLUPS, Ch'n.

## NOT CLOSED.

The deal for the lease of the Snovoy hotel mentioned in this paper last week was not closed. At this time no further deal has been reported.

## SAVOY HOTEL FOR RENT.

A reater is wanted for the Savoy hotel, Louisa. Completely furnished. Apply to Phillip Preese or W. T. Cain, Louisa, Ky.

## From The Land Of Flowers,

Mr. J. B. McClure returned Saturday from a protracted visit to Florida. The NEWS is sorry to say he likes the country and will move there with his family.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Herbert Sammons was visiting some people recently.

John McDyer, of Ashland, has been here several days.

T. R. Crumpler, of Twin Branch, W. Va., was here this week.

Mr. J. C. Adams was the guest of Louisa relatives this week.

Elliott Arnett, of Spaulding, W. Va., was in Louisa Monday.

Miss Chattle Songer, of Ashland, is the guest of Louisa friends.

Mrs. M. S. Burus and Kizzie Clay were in Huntington this week.

Mrs. George R. Vinson visited Huntington relatives last week.

Noll Bradley, of Middle creek, paid the NEWS a visit Monday.

Miss Pherty, of Gallipolis, is visiting her niece, Mrs. Alexander.

Bascom Boyd, of Ulysses, was a caller at the NEWS office Monday.

Theo Wright, of Catlettsburg, was visiting in Louisa last Sunday.

Dr. W. W. Wray and son, of Richardson, were in this city Wednesday.

Mrs. Melle Ferguson and Mrs. Meloy spent Sunday with friends at Fullers.

Mrs. A. C. Holbrook returned Sunday from a visit to relatives in Ashland.

Leroy Reid, of Parkersburg, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Ed. Spencer.

Mrs. Jane Wooten, of Ironton, was the guest of Mrs. Reed Roberts this week.

Mrs. J. Q. Lackey returned Saturday from a visit to Catlettsburg relatives.

Mrs. J. A. Moffett, of Huntington, was visiting Louisa friends Saturday.

Miss Emma Wallace was here from Paintsville this week, visiting relatives.

Master Homer Schmauch, of Huntington, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Wm. Justice.

Mrs. Beatrice Flippen, of Catlettsburg, was a recent guest of Mrs. D. C. Spencer.

Miss Gladys Atkins is visiting her aunt, Mrs. George T. Conley at Williamson, W. Va.

D. D. Crockett and M. E. Sparks, of Webbsville, paid their respects to the NEWS office Monday.

Mrs. Dave Fisher and Miss Nellie Fisher, of Ashland, recently visited the family of Mr. R. T. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Cowdon and son, of Huntington, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Black.

Mrs. George Lewis and the boy went to Graves Shoals Monday to spend some time with relatives at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Justice have returned home after a brief visit to Mr. and Mrs. George Schmauch, of Huntington.

Mrs. J. A. Fox and sister, Miss Hedges, of Peru, Ind., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace, Sr., this week.

Miss Willie Riggs has returned home after a three weeks visit with her cousin, Mrs. R. Blankenship, at Boone's Camp.

Attorneys George Castle and Richard Moore were prominent



# PIERCE'S

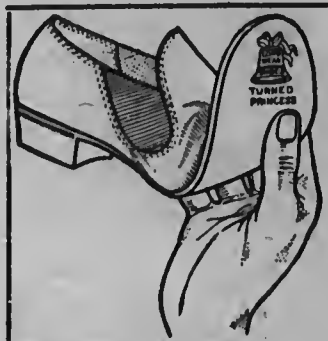
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## PIERCE'S BIG STORE.



Louisiana in the Gato City yesterday on legal business.—Cat—Ashland Independent.

Mrs. C. M. Summers left Saturday for a visit to relatives at Soldier. She was accompanied by little Miss Millie Wellman.

Mrs. L. G. Chatfield and guests, Mrs. James Peters and two children of Louisa, were entertained by friends in Huntington yesterday.

Mrs. Forrest Stewart, of Louisa, was here this morning enroute to Huntington to visit her brother, Dr. M. G. Watson.—Cat.—Ashland Independent.

Miss Blanch Bromley, of Huntington, is visiting the family of her uncle, Mr. Sam Bromley. She is the daughter of Will Bromley, formerly of Ft. Gay.

Mrs. Bas. Hatten and daughter, Miss Lucile, of Independence, Mo., visited the family of F. T. D. Wallace, Jr., from Wednesday to Friday of last week.

Mrs. T. L. Muacaster and little daughter, Mary Angela, left Tuesday for their home in Zanesville, Ohio, after spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Yates.

## WILL DESIGN PASTORATE.

The people of Louisa, irrespective of denominational connection, will be sorry to hear that the Rev. Archibald Cree, of the Baptist church, this city will shortly resign his pastorate and return to Louisville where his family resides. Since coming to Louisa Mr. Cree has made very many friends in the community. He is an educated christian gentleman, an eloquent preacher and a good pastor. His reason for leaving Louisa is a desire to be with his family. This is quite natural, and the church here could gratify the desire by bringing the family to Louisa. The NEWS has no information regarding Mr. Cree's successor.

## LOUISA VS. TORCHLIGHT.

Louisa, in the person of her ball players, went to Torchlight Saturday and trimmed the flame so completely that it went out. Out of kindness for our neighbor we omit the score.

## FATAL ACCIDENT.

Sheriff H. Pauley informs us that he has been in communication by telephone with Bensch, the owner of former Jailer George Burris and has learned that he is now dying from having been thrown by a wild mule yesterday morning, which he was taking to water. It became frightened and threw him on a pile of wood. Drs. T. D. Burgess, Craft and other physicians were in attendance, but had abandoned all hope. The same mule recently threw a boy and broke his arm. Mr. Burris was well known here, where he lived so long, was a good man and was liked and the awful accident is deeply deplored. He has a large family.—Pike. cor. Ashland Independent.

## LOOK MR. FARMER LOOK.

D. J. Burchett, Jr., the flour and feed man of Louisa, Ky., has made arrangements to exchange the famous Mt. Vernon Flour for your wheat this year. Every pound of flour guaranteed in person. This motto, "A satisfied customer means better business; a square deal to all." Bring your wheat, and be convinced. Office and mill opposite passenger depot, Louisa, Ky.

## THE M. E. CHURCH.

Following up the splendid sermon of the Rev. F. F. Shannon last Sunday night Dr. Hanford will bring you from Paul's rhetoric to his irrefragable argument. The special theme will be, "Paul At Thessalonica." In this discourse we shall consider Paul's reasoning; was he a logician or a sophist? We shall see the cable that holds the anchor of the Christian's hope. Let us come with candid minds and show ourselves more noble than those in Thessalonica.

## THE PASTOR.

## FINE PLUMS.

Mr. W. T. Kane, of Fallsburg, has the finest crop of damson plums in the Sandy Valley. They are very large, entirely free from blemish, and when fully ripe, will be very large. Their fine appearance is almost entirely due to the excellent care which has been taken of the tree and its fruit. Mr. Kane used the spray intelligently and in this way kept off the curculio and the scale. He also has a fine lot of apples which he has treated with the same care for the health of the fruit. Mr. Kane's success with crops of all kinds is ample evidence that "book" farming pays.

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It saves labor, the cost of mulching an acre with forest leaves or straw not exceeding \$15.

It prevents deep freezing.  
It makes the fruit more solid for cultivation and better for shipping purposes.

It prevents the baking of the soil caused by tramping at picking time.

It has the disadvantage of encouraging mice and establishing a surface root system. However, we have not noticed any serious damage from either of these effects.

The cost of growing raspberries by nature's method, as I like to call it, is not very great. Picking is a nice job where there is no mud, no weeds and where the canes have been properly pruned.

Don't leave any old canes standing in the field.

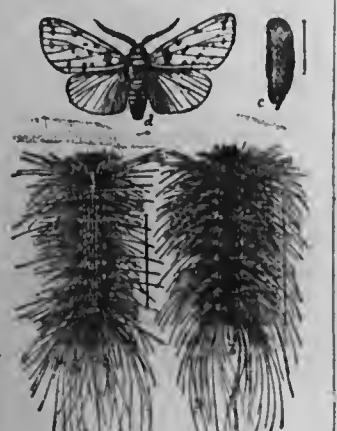
## DESTRUCTIVE WEB WORM

Insect Will Quickly Destroy Tree and Should Be Destroyed as Soon as They Appear.

In the fall the unsightly webs of this insect are seen all over the land. The adult, a little white moth, lays its eggs on the leaves of fruit and other trees and plants early in summer.

The young caterpillars spin the protective web. They are of a pale yellow, with long hairs, two black rows down the body, and a black head.

These worms will quickly destroy a tree and should be burned as soon as they appear, because after they have eaten the leaves they drop to the ground and spin a little cocoon within



a-Fall Web Worm. b-Caterpillars. c-Pupa. d-Moth.

which they hide themselves and then change back to the chrysalis state.

There are two broods of this insect in the south every year and one in the north.

Spraying with Paris green when the worms are very young will destroy them. London purple is also used with success. When they are discovered in large numbers the limbs containing the worms should be cut off and carried out of the orchard and burned.

The caterpillars will first eat all the leaves within the web, then those nearest by, often defoliating the entire tree. The worm is not so easily set with tufts of bristle-like projections.

This insect is sometimes confused with the tent caterpillar which appears in the spring and builds its web in the forks of the limbs.



Plum trees at ten years should produce one bushel.

Cherry trees at eight years should produce one bushel.

Pear trees at twelve years should produce three bushels.

Apple trees at fifteen years should produce three bushels.

Pruning or girdling the vine may sometimes be used to advantage.

Promptly gather up and burn all brush and rubbish in the orchard.

Don't permit the strawberries to go into winter quarters filled with weeds or grass.

An orchard will live longer, bear better and be more profitable by being well cultivated and enriched.

Straw is recommended by almost every farm publication as a winter covering for strawberry plants.

It is said that cherries cannot be grown profitably at any great distance from large bodies of water.

The city dealer profits by the largeness of the grower, by grading and repacking his badly assorted fruit.

When spraying do not work with bare hands. They'll be sore if you do. Put on a pair of rubber gloves.

Very few pears are at their best if allowed to ripen on the tree. A good rule is to pick when the seeds have turned brown.

## DAIRY



## VALUE OF A PURE-BRED SIRE

Pedigree Bulls Get Calves Far Superior in Dairy Quality to Those of Local Animals.

(By W. R. GILBERT.)

Although the general run of dairy cows are of no definite breeding, they are not necessarily the worse for that. Good dairy quality is a natural characteristic which is hereditary to an eminent degree. A long line of ancestors of dairy character on both sides of the family tree is quite sufficient to insure good dairy quality of the offspring.

Dairy character has been developed by careful selection. It is not a quality originally inherent in any one



Champion Holstein.

breed, although some breeds prove themselves more amenable to the influence of selection than others.

Dairy farmers are fully alive to the importance of heredity in this respect, and although they favor cattle of certain breeds, they fight shy of cattle of those breeds from pedigree herds. This is because they have found that pedigree bulls in many instances get calves far superior in dairy quality to the calves of locally-bred bulls.

The influence of an unsuitable bull is very far-reaching, for his helpers do not show of what they are capable until three years after his introduction.

During these three years, that bull, if he is a wrong one, will have been destroying the dairy character that probably took many years to establish.

The reason why pedigree bulls in the past have failed as popular sires in the dairy herds is to be attributed to a great extent to the cattle shows. Breeders of bulls for sale, naturally look to the show yards for publicity and success to bring their cattle under the notice of the buyers.

Bulls of dairy strains at one year old, the usual age for exhibiting, do not fill the eye with the same effect as the beef type, so they do not appear in the prize list and are branded as inferior accordingly.

## CATCH FOR ANY SMALL DOOR

Device Shown in the Illustration Will Be Found of Much Convenience on Farm.

An easily made and very effective catch to hold any small door, as in a washstand, sideboard, etc., is shown in the sketch. It is simply a small



Catch for a Small Door.

screw eye and an upholstering staple attached, as shown at A. The manner in which they hold the door, says Popular Mechanics, is shown at B.

## GOOD PLACE FOR SEPARATOR

Room With Cement Floor and Plastered Walls in Some Part of Barn Is Convenient.

Just where to place a cream separator for convenient use is sometimes a question. Convenience requires that the place be in or near the barn, though it is sometimes placed in the kitchen or some portion of the home building.

A room with cement floor and plastered walls can be constructed in some part of the barn where it will be convenient and more sanitary than if placed in the kitchen or in any open portion of the barn where it is likely to be affected by dust and odors. This room should have a water system and proper drainage, so that it may be kept clean and swept all the time.

The work necessary in preparing this room is not expensive, nor does it require expert help, but such a room in some locality is absolutely necessary for the production of clean milk products and in lessening the work of the dairy. Care in handling the milk and plenty of hot water in cleaning the vessels will remove very many of the criticisms that are made against the farm dairyman.

**Poor Combinations.**  
A good cow in the hands of a poor dairyman is a poorer proposition than a poor cow in the hands of a good dairyman. Both are very poor combinations and a good dairyman will not keep a poor cow more than one season.

## NAPHTHALENE IN ROAD TAR

Systematic Investigation of Effects of Various Constituents Upon Its Adaptability is Important.

As a large part of the road work in this country seems destined to be effected by the use of tars in road treatment and construction, a systematic investigation of the effects of various constituents upon the adaptability of tars as road binders is of great importance.

Hence, the recent circular issued by the United States department of agriculture on "The Effect of Naphthalene upon the Consistency of Refined Tars" (Office of public roads, circular No. 96) is a valuable contribution to good roads literature. While definite conclusions are not announced, the results strongly indicate four determinate facts:

(1) That the fluxing value of naphthalene for tar pitches is somewhat greater, although quite similar, to the heavier naphthalene-free tar distillates, until the mixture becomes saturated with naphthalene.

(2) That for the harder tar pitches the addition of very small percentages of naphthalene will produce a marked increase in fluidity of the resulting product.

(3) That for the softer pitches the addition of naphthalene in small quantities causes less increase in fluidity than for the harder pitches.

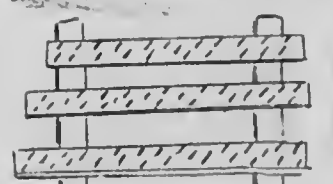
(4) That where naphthalene is added beyond the point of saturation a rapid decrease in the fluidity of tars at temperatures below the melting point of naphthalene is observed, but at temperatures above its melting point the fluidity continues to increase.

Further, evidences point to the fact that, within a reasonable degree of accuracy, it should be possible to foretell, by use of the data given in the pamphlet, what consistency to expect from the addition of a given percentage of naphthalene to a tar pitch or refined tar of known consistency. Irrespective of the free carbon content of the tar.

## CHEAP RACK FOR SEED CORN

Frame May Be Constructed Out of Common Fence Boards With Nails Driven Through an Slant.

Construct a frame from fence boards. This may be of any length or height, and several medium-sized ones are better than one large frame.

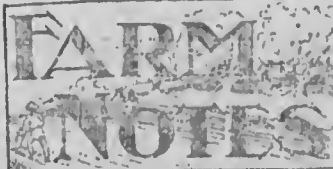


Cheap Seed-Corn Rack.

Drive nails through the boards each way on an upward slant. On these nails stick the butts of the corn. Each ear stands out by itself, where it can dry perfectly. By numbering each ear on the board, track of it can be kept when testing for germination. Keep in a cool place and to insure protection from mice awing it up by wire.

## Storing Pumpkins in the Field.

You needn't expect to reap much profit from storing your pumpkins and cattle on pumpkins for a few days during the harvest season, then cutting off their supply of this valuable feed for another whole year. Store your pumpkins in the field. Pile the pumpkins in a row, as high and as wide as you wish, cover with hay and set up fodder on each side to a thickness of three or four feet. This not only affords ample protection from the cold, but also enables you to form a most profitable balanced ration by adding "the fruit of the vine" as you feed out the corn and fodder.



A remarkable thing about alfalfa is its perennial youth.

Telephone communication with the market is a great advantage.

The successful garden is started in the fall, although not a seed may be planted.

Thoroughly air dried seed corn will stand almost any temperature, no matter how low.

Clean up the yard and farmstead generally. Plan to set out a few more ornamentals next spring.

Those farmers who have roots to feed their stock this winter (whether they have a silo or not) are lucky.

Ases are best applied in the spring, separately or in connection with phosphate fertilizers as a top-dressing.

The value of corn ensilage is beginning to be better understood in the eastern states than it was formerly.

Cranberries were not injured so much this year by early frosts as they were during the past two years.

Did the carrots, beets, etc., and store them for winter use. Medium sized tender roots are best for winter use.

Tobacco dust worked into the surface of the soil just before setting the lettuce will help to keep the aphids away.

Alfalfa can be grown on stiff lands with great success, but is not a success on sandy soils unless the land is limed and inoculated.

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## In Memory of Little Billie.

Death has again come into our midst and claimed for its own the form of Little Billie Gussler. Little Billie was the son of John S. Gussler, but spent the higher portion of his short life here with his grandparents, Will and Julian Gussler. The subject of this sketch was born 24th day of March 1911, fell asleep on the morning of the 29 of June 1912, being one year three months and five days old. Little Billie was afflicted with that dreaded disease tuberculosis which it is supposed that he inherited from his mother who preceded him a little over a year ago.

Billie was a very bright little child, during his affliction he enjoyed singing very much and would smile when any one would sing for him. He had been very restless the night before his death but when the hour came for him to quit suffering he passed away peacefully with a smile upon his face and went to dwell with mother and his Heavenly Father where suffering will be no more. It is hard for us to give up those jewels which we prize so highly, but the God that gave him has taken away. Then let us say in all things "Thy will be done." May his few days stay here be the instrument of bringing father and grandfather closer to Christ, who has said in his blessed word "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not for of such is the kingdom of Heaven." Funeral preached in the M. E. Church S. at the works of Little Billie, the service helping to conduct the services. The body was then conveyed to the Adams burying ground and after the many sorrowing friends that were standing around had taken the last look at the corpse it was lowered into the grave there to remain until the general resurrection morn when the dead in Christ shall arise.

Billie's gone, oh how we miss him, gone and never can return, but we by living a Christ-like life can meet him where no parting ever shall come.

E. F. McCLAIN.

In these days of high cost of living, a medicine that gets a man up out of bed and able to work in a few days is a valuable and welcome remedy. John Heath, Michigan Har., Cal., had kidney and bladder trouble, was confined to his bed, unable to turn without help. "I commenced using Foley Kidney Pills and can truly say I was relieved at once." His example is worth following. For sale by all dealers.

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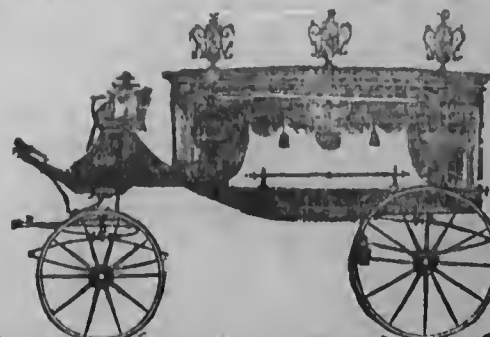
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## The Model Husband.

Much has been said and written about the model husband. A quarter of a century ago Ella Wheeler Wilcox penned her ideas of a model husband and we doubt if they have ever been improved upon. "Ella" said if she were asked to define the meaning of a successful man, she would say a man who has made a happy home for his wife and children. No matter what he has done in the way of achieving wealth or honors, if he has done that he is a grand success. If he has not done that, and it is his own fault, though he be the highest in the land, he is a most pitiable failure.

I wonder how many men in the mad pursuit for gold which characterizes this age, realize that there is no fortune which can be left their families as precious as the mementoes of a happy home.

I heard a daughter say, with bitterness, one day: "I never knew a happy hour in my childhood. My father was so cross and severe he crushed my mother's spirit and destroyed our youth. Nothing can ever recompense me for that." What a memory for a daughter to carry through life! I have known several men who were subjects of terror to their families. Laughter ceased, mirth was silenced, color intuitively took leave, when the master of the house approached. I wonder what such men can live for. I can imagine no honor that can compensate for the loss of those nearest to me.

I think more American men than women marry for love. Yet there are fewer good husbands than good wives, take the kind over.

If you marry a beauty and a belle, or a very popular young lady, you no doubt felt highly elated over your conquest, and it was your intention to make her happy. But, perhaps, you did not realize that an extra exertion on your part would be necessary as time rolled on. Ardent lovers too often and too quickly become indifferent husbands; not indifferent in heart, maybe, but indifferent in action. The girl who has been sought and admired, and praised by a crowd of enamored swains during her single career, can not help feeling heartaches and repinings if she is unnoticed or neglected as a wife. It will not do to let her take it for granted that you still care for her, or still admire her. You must tell her so sometimes—the oftener the better. It may seem foolishness to you, but it is often a matter of life and death import to a wife—a few fond, admiring words from a husband's lips. It will not cost you anything and it will make her happy. Praise her discretion, her good sense, and her dignity, and tell her that these qualities are dearer to you than her beauty, and mark my words, she will strive to deserve your praise with renewed ambition. If she does not, she will be very light weight indeed. See to it that no man pays your wife sweeter compliments or appreciates her beauty or worth more than you do.

Tell her that she is the best wife in the world, and that you are sure no one else on earth could make you so happy as she has done. You have no idea, being a man, how much joy such words

## DEMOCRATIC LEADERS.



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WOODROW WILSON.

THOMAS RILEY MARSHALL.

Get these faces fixed in your mind and photographed in your memory. They are good likenesses of the next President and Vice President of this big country of ours, Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, and Thomas Marshall, of Indiana.

bring to a wife's heart.

If you come home and find something out of place in the house, or not to your liking, do not let it be the first thing mentioned. Try and find something to praise and appreciate, and then speak of the matter that displeases you and ask to have it attended to.

Women need love, praise, appreciation, and pleasure, as much as flowers need the sunlight; and, as a rule, the best wives are the women who receive considerate kindness and attention from the rightful source—the husband.

## A Bawling Woman.

A bawling woman can make more contention than any other created thing unless it is a guinea hen or a peacock. A brutal word hurts more than a blow. You can heal a physical hurt, but there is no harm for a heartburn. A word is not like a kite. You can't draw it back with a string, once spoken it is like a bird let loose from a cage it will never come back and be tucked behind the bars of forgetfulness again. Would it not be a good idea, then, so much as possible to forego idle gossip about troubles that can't be helped, and to resolve to be mute where we can't say pleasant things. Sympathy is necessary to us all; but sympathy carried to an excess is like an overdose of opium, it weakens the fibre and dulls the spirits. Too much chattering about troubles that must be endured rather than cured, will end in making weaklings of us. The way to get along in this world is to keep our breath and our strength for the battlefield, and not waste it in idle chat about the campfire. The man who talks is not the man who does. The time the gallant Sheridan put in riding down to Winchester would never have immortalized his name had he descended from his horse and talked the situation over with ever struggling him.

## Words to Think of.

Work is no dishonor, and laziness is no credit to any one. It is good wages; but half pay is much better than nothing, and even working for nothing is far better than laziness and vice. The devil always finds employment for the idle vicious. Idleness is the begueter of crime. It is degrading and demoralizing in its tendencies, and criminal in its results. The idle are always easily emptied, and their very dependence makes them ready and willing victims to temptations. There is no true manhood without independence. Fashion is a great and frivolous folly. He whose individuality is swallowed up in fashion, fully, or society has lost that which he may never see again, and without which his life must be a vain and aimless one. He who restrains himself from luxuries may help others in necessities. He who helps others may look to Providence to help him in his hour of pressing need. Difficulties are placed in our way that we may overcome them, and pass through conflict to victory, and through victory to triumph. Pride goes before destruction, but honor and nobleness and independence of soul are approved by our Maker and are profitable to mankind.

Buy it now. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. Buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency. For sale by Louisa Drug Co.

## WEST VIRGINIA NEIGHBORS.

The new text books will not be ready for distribution before the first of August and it is a heavy fine for teachers to teach in the old books the schools will probably be delayed in starting till well up in August in West Virginia.

The postoffice department has established a postoffice at Robinette, Logan county, near Craneco and it will be opened as soon as a postmaster is appointed. This matter was brought to the attention of the department and the office was established through the efforts of Senator Watson.

The Senate committee on Military Affairs has appointed a sub-committee to consider three bills loaning brass cannon to West Virginia cities. The bills they will consider are those of Congressman Brown for Kingwood, Congressman Hamilton for Elizabeth and Senator Watson for Huntington.

The Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company last week secured permission from the War Department to reconstruct its bridge across the Guyan River at Guyandotte. The new bridge will be double tracked in order to make the double track continuous all the way through. Work will be begun on the new bridge immediately, and the under-grade crossing at the east end of the bridge will also be begun at once.

The Annual session of the Teachers' Institute will be held at Wayne beginning on Monday July 22 and continuing in session five days.

Prof. Joseph Rosier of Fairmont and Miss Virginia Johns of Nashville, Tenn., will be the instructors. Mrs. Jennie Duncan of Kenova will have charge of the music.

The business men of Wayne are preparing to entertain the teachers and the hotels and homes of the people will be opened to them.

Everything that can be done for the comfort and convenience of the teachers will be done by our good town folks.

Charleston, W. Va., July 10.—That John T. McGraw, of Grafton, democratic national committeeman from West Virginia will oppose the candidacy of William R. Thompson, of Huntington, for governor in the democratic state convention which meets at Huntington next Tuesday was unofficially announced here today.

It was further stated that it is probable that McGraw will not nominate himself for the nomination. Up to the present time Thompson has had no opposition and at different times McGraw has declared he would not consider the nomination. McGraw was one of the leaders of the Wilson fight for the presidential nomination and since the Baltimore convention it is said he has been considering entering the gubernatorial race.

Moundsville, W. Va., July 12.—A gas explosion wrecked the Penna mine of the Bon Franklin Coal Company here today, and for several hours it was believed that more than 100 miners had lost their lives.

After investigation the officials of the company issued a statement saying that there were only nine

men in the mine at the time of the explosion, and that two of them had been rescued, although perhaps fatally burned.

Shortly after the blast, Joseph McNally, a miner, was found just inside the mouth of the mine terribly burned.

That between 100 and 150 miners were not caught in the explosion was due to the fact that the mine suspended for repairs yesterday afternoon. As the suspension was not known, the first report estimated the entrapped men at 100.

Mrs. P. P. McCabe, wife of the superintendent of the mine, heard the blast and ran screaming through the little mining settlement one mile south of the city. She was half crazed when she learned that her father and brother were among the few to enter the mine to-day.

James Spaulding, a veteran of the civil war, having served in the 5th West Virginia Infantry, died on Saturday, June 29, at his home on Jennies creek. He was 78 years of age and his death was due to a general breakdown. Mr. Spaulding lived in this section all his life and was highly respected. He is survived by his wife and one son, Flea Spaulding. The burial took place on Sunday in the Muncey cemetery.—Mingo Republican.

Mr. Editor Wayne News:

I desire to say through your paper that I have been requested by my wife's father, Peyton Staley of Buffalo creek, Wayne county, W. Va., to announce that he desires to have a reunion of his entire family on Sunday, September 8th, 1912, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. to which all of his children, including their entire families; grand children, great grand children and great great grand children are invited, also any of his neighbors and friends who desire to join with the family in the enjoyment of the day are cordially invited.

Dinner will be served on the ground. Let us all turn out on that day with our baskets well filled with provisions and make it a great day in the history of the Staley family, and especially a day of pleasure to the grand old man, who is now nearly 92 years old.

This reunion will be held at the Buffalo Valley Baptist church. J. D. GARRETT.

J. H. Marcum confessed in Criminal court this week that he has one more wife than the law permits and was sentenced by Judge Sampselle to serve two years in the state penitentiary. In May, 1909, Marcum married Emma Hill, with whom he lived for a time. Both were residents of the county at the time.

Some time afterwards Marcum became enamored of Tampa Terry, also a resident of the county, and they were married in March of this year. While wives Nos. 1 and 2 lived within a short distance of one another Marcum did not go through the formality of getting a divorce from No. 1 with the consequence that he soon fell into the hands of the law.

Henry Robinson, one of the two men who burglarized Billy Thompson's store at Naugatuck a few months ago, pled guilty and drew a two year sentence. Robinson was caught redhanded and had no defense.

The case against Ed Whitl, one of the men charged with the brutal murder of Farmer Hoskins near Red Jacket on June 5, was continued to the special September term.

The petit jury was discharged on Wednesday but court has not yet adjourned, Judge Sampselle holding the term open to settle some minor matters.—Mingo Republican.

During the summer months mothers of young children should watch for any unnatural looseness of the bowels. When given prompt attention at this time serious troubles may be avoided. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon. For sale by Louisa Drug Co.

## MAHAN, W. VA.

The ice cream supper was largely attended.

Mrs. William Hoins is visiting her sister, Mrs. Tom Preston, at Huntington this week.

Mrs. W. F. Walker gave a delightful dinner party at her home at Tomsburg Thursday.

George McGuire has moved into the house lately vacated by Jason Juatico.

## TWO GIRLS.

## COW FOR SALE.

Jersey cow six years old with young calf. Price for both, \$50. M. F. CONLEY, Louisa, Ky.

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The attractive 16-size Elgin, complete in solid silverine case. If that is about the amount of money you want to invest in a watch you can't beat This bargain anywhere.

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## How to Kill and Breed Poultry.

The problem of getting poultry to market in first-class condition, as determined by its appearance, flavor, and "keeping quality," is no longer the comparatively simple proposition that the farmer or poultry dresser found it in the days when cities were smaller and could draw upon their environs for a large share of the poultry which they consumed. At the present time the quantities of perishable food-stuffs of all kinds required by the cities are so great that their immediate vicinity can not supply the demand. Neither do the various parts of the country endeavor at the present time to supply either the quantity or the variety of perishable foods consumed in them, because economic conditions have made it advisable for certain sections of the country, especially adapted to the production of certain kinds of crops, to raise these in much larger amounts than are needed for home consumption, and to send the surplus to the sections of nonproduction, or where a shortage prevails. Such a condition of affairs has led to the lengthening of the period between production and consumption. In order, therefore, that perishable produce shall still reach the market in good condition, it must be handled in such wise that deterioration will be checked as far as possible. To accomplish this there have been developed railroad refrigerator cars, fast freight, cold-storage warehouses, and all that vast and complicated system on which depends the feeding of our populace the year round and the equalization of seasonal and regional overproduction. In spite of this system, however, if care of the product at the source of production is lacking, deterioration will occur before the product reaches the consumer. The California orange must be cut from the tree carefully and handled carefully if it is to travel with safety from the Pacific States to the consumer in New York. The Oregon raspberry must be picked at the proper stage of development and then kept cool if it is to be enjoyed by the people in Minneapolis and St. Paul. The meat raised on our western prairies must be properly slaughtered, chilled, and maintained in a chilled condition if it is to feed the people of London.

Just so it is with dressed poultry. If it is to reach the consumer with the best of flavor and wholesomeness, the most attractive appearance, and in the best possible state of preservation, it must be properly raised, killed, and dressed. Granting that the chicken has been bred and fed to be a good eating chicken and that it is ready for slaughter, the first step in the preservation of its good qualities is to starve it for twenty-four hours, allowing, however, a liberal supply of fresh, clean water during this period. The intestines of the bird having been emptied of food, the next step in the dressing of market poultry is the proper killing and bleeding of the fowl, and it is with this question that the present article is chiefly concerned.

Evidences of Bad Bleeding. A very large proportion of the unsightly poultry in our markets, aside from the rubbing and tearing of the skins, is caused by an incomplete removal of the blood. This is evidenced by red dots which frequently occur where the feathers have been removed especially over the thighs and wings; or by the small veins which are soon over the breast and in the angles of the wings, or larger veins, which mar the appearance of the neck. Generally it is the neck which shows most plainly the presence of blood

in the fowl, or that a wrong method has been used in cutting the blood vessels in an attempt to empty them. The neck is the first part to discolor, becoming first red, then bluish red or purple, and finally green as aging progresses. Often there are discolored areas on the sides of the neck close to the head which look like bruises. These are commonly caused by the killer holding the neck of the bird when cutting the veins, and thereby preventing the blood from escaping. Not only are the results of bad bleeding observed in certain parts of the body, but the clear, bright color of the flesh for which every poultry dresser tries is never at its best unless the blood has been completely drained out.

At least 30 per cent of all the poultry is incompletely bled. Much of it is so badly bled that it results in a loss of from 2 to 5 per cent a pound, as compared with the corresponding poultry which is well bled and in good order. Aside from the bad appearance of incompletely bled chickens, their keeping properties are very inferior. The flesh loses its firmness sooner; its flavor is not so good; the odor of stale flesh and finally of putrefaction comes sooner; and in every way the product is more perishable.

## Study of Blood Vessels of Neck and Head.

An anatomical study of the blood vessels of the head and neck of the chicken has been included in the investigation of the handling and marketing of dressed poultry in order to determine the best methods of bleeding and the reasons for the incomplete bleeding which is so prevalent. Heretofore there has been no description available of the number and location of the larger veins in the neck of a chicken. This lack of knowledge has resulted in much indiscriminate hacking and gashing of the chicken's mouth, all of which is frequently done to no purpose, because in spite of the many cuts the large veins which carry the blood often are not touched. "Cutting" to bleed and "sticking" to brain.

When the feathers are removed by scalding, the bird is killed by bleeding alone, hence the cuts to sever the veins are the only ones attempted, and if the attempt fails and bleeding will surely result. If, on the other hand, dry picking is to be practiced, the birds are cut to bleed and are also stuck through the brain to paralyze the feather muscles. The latter operation is sometimes performed by running the knife under the eye at such an angle that its point will touch the skull midway between the eyes and a little behind them; or the braining is accomplished by placing the knife about halfway down the groove in the roof of the chicken's mouth, and then thrusting it up until the knife reaches the top of the skull. The knife, as in braining under the eye, should touch that part of the inside of the skull which lies about midway between the eyes. The point of the knife should then be moved backward a little, so that enough brain tissue may be destroyed to paralyze the bird, yet not enough to kill it instantly. If the "out-side-at-lick" method is practiced practically no blood escapes. If, on the other hand, braining inside of the mouth is adopted, the blood vessels in the brain which are cut find an outlet for their contents through the knife hole. Bleeding from these vessels is, under any circumstances, and where the neck vessels are missed the condition of the chicken is often greatly improved by the bleeding from the brain.

## THIS LADY'S GOOD APPETITE

Mrs. Hansen, in a Letter From Mobile, Tells How She Gained It.

Mobile, Ala.—"I suffered for seven years, with womanly trouble," writes Mrs. Sigurd Hansen in a letter from this city. "I felt weak and always had a headache and was always going to the doctor. At last I was operated on, and felt better, but soon I had the same trouble."

My husband asked me to try Cardul, I felt better after the first bottle, and now, I have a good appetite and sleep well. I feel fine, and the doctor tells me I am looking better than he ever saw me."

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## PRINCESS.

Reports from Mrs. Lafa Burns, of this county, who was accidentally shot some days ago, are not encouraging and that she is dangerously wounded.

Miss Kate Hale is home now from Ashland, quite sick.

The babe of Roy Adkins is quite sick.

Mrs. John D. Adkins, of Yatesville, was here last Monday, enroute to Greenup to see her daughter.

Clyde Carter spent Sunday at Cliffside park.

C. V. Bartels and John Price, of Torchlight have secured a large tract of coal land here and are now engaged in opening the same, and will soon have coal on the market.

Our ball team crossed bats with a neighboring team last Sunday.

Rev. Duncan, of the Holy Roller faith closed a series of meetings here last week with only fair success.

Rev. Williams failed to fill his appointment here last Sunday.

Moses Sonnet is now at Twin Branch, W. Va., in a coal mine.

Nora Brown and sister, of Hopewell were visiting their uncle Allan Gullet last week.

Big Run coal company is now engaged in opening their new 400-acre coal field known as Big Run, the main entry being driven by John

Wolfe, known to all along this line to be one of the best miners in the entire country.

The tenting party from Ashland on the farm of Geo. Chlvin, broke camp this week after an outing of 20 days.

Wheat harvest is now over and the crop is pronounced by all to be the finest crop in twenty years.

It is not decided who will teach our school here this year, as the teacher elected, chose to accept principalship in the Salyersville school.

In our copy of the NEWS of 5 was noticed item No. 6 in Kentucky neighbor column by a gentleman from Winchester, Ky., whose wife is a very closely related to the Jno. Fox mentioned therein. So interested was he that he took the whole paper away with him. So much for the Big Sandy News.

BUCK SKIN BESS.

## WILBUR.

Preaching at the Christian church on last Sunday by Mr. Wm. Dixon, of Blaine and Mr. Whitte, of Tombs creek. Quite a large crowd in attendance.

Isom Daniels, of Flat Gap, who is teaching a singing school here, conducted the singing at church services here last Sunday. Much interest is being manifested.

Mrs. R. C. Moore and children are here on a visit from Columbus.

Mrs. Mary Moore attended church at Hood Sunday.

Mrs. Mary E. Gumbill is the guest of the Drs. Gambill's, of Blaine.

J. M. Adams, of Louisa was calling at Swetnam's store on last Friday.

Miss Lydia Milton Osborne, of Cordell was the all day guest of Misses Lydia and Jewel Swetnam Sunday.

Dr. J. J. Gambill and wife, of Blaine attended church here on last Sunday, also Reason Swan and his sister Miss Tishie and Miss Rosa Cordle, of Cordell.

Misses Virgie, Lillie and Cora O'Bryant attended church at Hood Sunday.

Miss Jennie Childers, of Cando, Misses Grace and Dollie Hayes were the guests of Miss Mollie and Leola Burgess on last Sunday.

Virgil Pigg, of Madge was here on business Tuesday.

The farmers are all quite busy in this section caring for their grass and oats.

Miss Grace Moore and her brother, of Prosperity visited relatives at Charley last week.

Mr. B. J. Cheffin, of Louisa was calling on the merchants here this week.

Dr. C. B. Walter and wife of this place passed here enroute to Louisa, where he expects to practice dentistry. He won the gold medal in Louisville college last May.

Misses Pansy and Ethel Osborne, of Cordell were guests of Misses Ethel and Carrie Swetnam on last Saturday and Sunday.

Zeal Travis, of Columbus is here visiting his mother, Mrs. Dehila Travis.

Mrs. G. C. Swetnam is violently sick at this writing, also Mr. L. T. Griffith.

Mrs. M. F. Swetnam contemplates a visit to Louisa soon.

## PUDDING.

## POTTER.

The storm we had here Monday did a great deal of damage to the crops.

Mrs. J. A. Collinsworth's sister from North Carolina is visiting here.

Misses Sarah and Sheba Wolford have gone to Cincinnati.

Mr. G. B. Hayes is visiting home folks.

Misses Oneta and Minnie Austin attended Miss Jennie Skeens party Saturday evening.

Frank Saulsberry was calling on Miss Junia Adkins Sunday.

Miss Helen Alexander and Sheriff Justice, of Louisa were visiting

Miss Minnie Austin Sunday.

Mrs. S. Beggs has returned home from visiting her mother.

Drew Adkins is visiting home folks.

There will be church at Hewlett Branch Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Barnett, who has fever, is no better.

Mrs. L. H. Compton and sons, Ernest and Clifford, who have been visiting her sister and brother, have returned home.

Miss Louie Adkins visited home folks Sunday.

Mr. Hayes and daughter of Louisa were visiting Mr. W. Hayes recently.

Homer Schmauch, of Huntington is visiting his aunt, Mrs. W. F. Austin.

## BLUE EYES.

## TERRYVILLE.

The song of the far fly, near and distant, makes us rejoice to know harvesting has arrived again and found us with good crops of oats and grass.

Married, recently, Mr. Albert Eldridge to Miss Alice Maxie. Both are young and amiable and have the best regards of their many friends.

Sunday school at this place every Sunday evening. Everybody is invited who will come and exercise good behavior.

Sorry to say that this neighborhood has a few back biters running at large still, Alas! for those who have no acquaintance of the Golden Rule.

Sagruve Bros. have contracted and began clearing a new ground for J. E. Skaggs.

P. Sparks contemplates building a dwelling on main and cross street.

## A BEGINNER.

## CINCINNATI MARKET.

Cattle.—Good to choice about steady; other grades weak to 10c and 15c lower. Shippers, \$6.25 to 8.50; extra, \$8.10 to 8.35; butcher steers, extra \$7.85 to 8.00; choice \$6.75 to 7.75; common to fair \$4.25 to 6.65; heifers, extra \$7.10 to 7.25; good to choice \$6.50 to 7.00; common to fair \$3.25 to 5.25; common to fair \$2 to 4.35; canners, \$2 to 3.

BULLS.—Slow. Hologun \$4 to 4.75; extra \$4.85; fat bulls \$5 to 5.50.

CALVES.—Active and strong; 25c higher. Extra \$8.25; fat to good \$6.50 to 8.00; common and large \$4 to 7.75.

HOGS.—Generally steady at yesterday's prices. Heavy hogs \$7.75 to 7.80; good to choice packers and butchers \$7.75 to 7.80; mixed packers \$7.85 to 7.95; stage \$4.25 to 5.85; extra \$6, common to choice heavy fat sows \$5.50 to 6.75; light shippers \$7.30 to 7.60; pigs (110 lbs and less) \$5.50 to 7.25.

SHEEP.—Active and strong, 10c higher. Extra \$3.85; good to choice \$3.25 to 3.75; common to fair \$1.35 to 1.50.

LAMBS.—Active and strong, 25c higher. Extra \$7.50 to 7.60; good to choice \$6.25 to 7.40; common to fair \$4 to 6; yearlings \$4.25 to 5.25; stock ewes \$3.25 to 4.25.

## ULYSSES.

On Monday night July 15 last, Uncle Claim Spheason as he was usually called 'departed' this life. His health had been very bad for quite awhile. About one week ago he became worse and still grew worse until death ended his sufferings. He was 82 years 8 months and 4 days old at the time of his death. One day last week a valuable barn belonging to Mrs. Belle Preston, of Georges creek was burned with all its contents. There was a large amount of hay in the barn and several buggies and wagons. The origin of the fire is not known to any certainty.

## Trouble in Pike County.

The second educational division of Pike county is receiving considerable notoriety by reason of alleged irregularities in the election and practice of some members of the division board. Chargees have been pouring into the office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction from both sides, and the election of trustees in that division is expected to be one of the warmest local contests ever waged in that section of the State.

There are seventeen schools in the division, and it is alleged, nine members of the board have been in the habit of voting together and selecting all the teachers. The situation has involved considerable scandal, even to the extent, as alleged, of conditions from the teachers before they are chosen. Supt. Hamlett says he purposes breaking up the practice, which is not confined to that community.

An Ad. in the News Brings Results.

## BEAR CREEK STORM.

On the afternoon of the 15th this country experienced a regular western storm. It seemed to be most severe on Trace branch and head of Rove creek. Sam Bellomy and William Bellomy, who live on Trace branch, were among the worst sufferers. The winds almost stripped their young apple orchards of the fruit. The rain came down in torrents, washing out all water gaps and carried away all the fences next to the branch; broke down and carried away a large amount of the growing crops, and mixed up the stock in the pastures.

Trace branch would have swum a horse from head to mouth. When it came in contact with the left fork of Bear creek it crossed over and plunged into the lot on which the Trace church stands. For awhile it looked like it might undermine the church. The winds and rain came down main Bear creek to its mouth, laying the corn down almost flat, and breaking lot of it off. It struck in the yard of Charles Warren with great force, broke off a portion of a walnut tree and a lot of limbs from other shade trees.

The storm seemed to cross the Big Sandy into West Virginia. We were not able to learn the damage done.

## SPECTATOR.

## FIRES IN AND NEAR PRESTONSBURG.

Prestonsburg, Ky., July 15, 1912.—A fire in West Prestonsburg today at 10:15 a. m., completely destroyed two handsome hotels owned and occupied by Robert Harris, on Main street. The fire when discovered was beyond control, and the absence of water works rendered the people nearly helpless in any attempt they might make toward saving the adjoining buildings. The residence of Rev. Maggard was first to take fire. Then the flames leaped to the residence of Wile Herold, and in the course of a few minutes \$10,000 worth of property was in ashes. Part of the property was covered by insurance, but the loss was heavy.

The home of James Hara, on Middle Creek, within a few miles of Prestonsburg, was burned Sunday evening at 2 o'clock. Mr. Hara and his wife and children had just returned from church, and while resting in the yard they were startled to see the flames break through the top of the building. Very little of the furniture was saved, and what makes the matter worse it represented the earnings of a lifetime of hard working, honest man. No insurance at all. Mrs. Hara was in our town today asking for assistance. The good people of Prestonsburg, in the kindness of their hearts, gave them financial aid.

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LUMBER, CATTLE, ETC.

The District Court of the United States for the Eastern Districts of Kentucky.

In the matter of J. W. HARRIS, Bankrupt.

Pursuant to an order to me directed as Trustee in Bankruptcy of J. W. Harris, Bankrupt, No. 269 District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Kentucky, I will, on Saturday the 27th day of July 1912 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the mill formerly operated by said bankrupt on the William Hardla tract of land near Gallup, Ky., Lawrence County, Ky., offer for sale to the highest and best bidder the following described personal property belonging to said bankrupt, free from any incumbrance or lien, to wit:

4566 feet of bending stock lumber; 4000 feet of chestnut lumber; 4870 feet of lumber, loose pattern stock; 21900 feet of board lumber; 500 celled cross-ties; three head of cattle, work cattle, and one mule.

Sale will be made for cash in hand. And sale will be made subject to the approval of the Court.

Wm. M. FULKERSON, Trustee J. W. HARRIS.

## Notice of Commissioners Sitting.

Pursuant to an order of the Lawrence Circuit Court in the case of M. S. Burns, etc., against Elizabeth Pennington, I will on Friday, the 26th day of July 1912, have a sitting for the purpose of taking proof, auditing accounts and settling the estate of A. J. Pennington deceased. All persons having claims against said estate should present same at that time.

F. L. STEWART, Master Comr. L. C. C.

## FRUIT CANS FOR SALE.

The Louisa Canning Company has a lot of good 2 lb and 3 lb cans for sale, with solder-lipped caps. Wholesale prices. Apply to Augustus Snyder, Louisa, Ky.

## OLYMPIA SPRINGS.

The Kentucky Press Association's annual meeting at Olympia Springs recently was one of the most enjoyable gatherings in the history of the organization, according to those who have attended regularly. The editor of the NEWS was called away from the meeting twice, leaving him a total of one day's time with the Association. This was long enough to show us that Olympia Springs is a charming resort. Recent improvements have made it the best in Kentucky. All the modern conveniences at such a place are provided for the guests. The springs furnish four or five different kinds of healthful mineral waters. The grounds are ample and attractive. The table fare is all that anyone could ask. Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil, the managers, are fine people and know their business thoroughly.

## Consolidation Declares Dividend.

Baltimore, Md., July 16.—Directors of the Consolidation Coal Company, of which Jere H. Wheelwright is president, met here in the company's office and declared the regular quarterly dividend of one-half per cent. on the corporation stock.

President Wheelwright stated that his company would most likely begin the shipment of coal from the new mines in Kentucky about September 1. He declared the railroad which the Consolidation is building to provide adequate shipping facilities for the new mining property in Kentucky has been laid to Jenkins, and that contractors were now rushing the ballasting work.

All the new mines which have been opened upon the Consolidation's Elkhorn property have been finished, and coal is now being mined and stored at Jenkins awaiting shipment.

## SUBMITTED TO OPERATION.

John O'Brien, whose arm was accidentally broken at Dan 29, near Ashland several months ago, has been compelled to submit to an operation for relief. The fracture was reduced at Ashland, but the union of the bone had been imperfect. Last week Mr. O'Brien went to Riverview hospital where Dr. L. H. York opened the arm, turned out the broken ends and removed the cartilage from them. It is hoped that a perfect union will be the result.

## WILL VISIT DAN.

On July 26 United States Engineer Colonel Henry Jerrey and Major John C. Oakes, of Cincinnati and Major Alstaetter, of Wheeling, W. Va., will form an inspection party to Louisa, Ky., where they will conduct some experiments at the dam in the Big Sandy River at that point. These experiments, if successful, will effect the construction of a number of locks and dams which are yet to be completed in the Ohio River south of Louisville.

## LOOK MR. FARMER LOOK.

D. J. Hurchett, Jr., the flour and feed man of Louisa, Ky., has made arrangements to exchange the famous Mt. Vernon Flour for your wheat this year. Every pound of flour guaranteed in person. This motto, "A satisfied customer means better business; a square deal to all." Bring your wheat and be convinced. Office and mill opposite passenger depot, Louisa, Ky.

## Highly Respected Woman Dead.

"Mrs. Sarah Queen"—"Aunt Sackie"—widow of Walter Queen, died at her home on East Fork Monday night last of the infirmity incident to advanced age. The burial occurred on Wednesday, with services at Garrett Chapel, East Fork, conducted by the Rev. H. B. Hewlett, of this city. Mrs. Queen was an excellent woman, universally loved and respected. She left numerous descendants.

## IN SERIOUS CONDITION.

The friends of Mr. W. D. Roffo will be sorry to learn that he is in a very serious condition from heart and liver disease. He and Mrs. Roffo have been at New Cumberland W. Va., for some time, visiting their daughter, Mrs. Scholze. They had started home and got as far as Huntington, where they were compelled to stop on account of an alarming change for the worse. He will be brought here as soon as he is able to make the trip.

## NO MORE FEED FAMINES.

A good many Fleming county farmers are determined not to be pinched by another feed famine as they were last winter, and to that end are putting up silos in which to store away green feed. By this



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system several very desirable results are likely to follow. One is that as ensilage should be fed under shelter more stock will be housed than heretofore, saving at least one-third of the feed, since stock running out in all sorts of weather must necessarily have an increased ration to keep up the animal heat. Another very important item is the saving of manure due to feeding in barns. Our farmers will eventually see the wisdom of putting concrete floors in their barns to make a still greater saving in this respect. A third point is the fact that you will take off the crop of corn, cowpeas or soy beans in time to seed for wheat in time for the wheat to get a good start before winter. So we are glad the silo is coming. May its tribe increase.—Times-Democrat

## FLIES.

So much has been said about the danger of the house fly when permitted to wander promiscuously from filth to food, and the necessity for guarding against his invasion and too intimate acquaintance that it seems useless to dwell upon this unpleasant subject longer.

It is rather surprising when we stop to consider that for so long we have been assiduously laboring and perspiring freely in our more or less futile efforts to kill flies inside the house. The logical way is to catch him before he gets inside and still more logical to prevent his ever coming into existence at all. One of the surest, safest means of preventing flies from doing their deadly work inside the house is to catch them by means of large traps placed outside the kitchen door or other doors where they will find entrance. At Vanceburg these traps were made of banana crates baited with molasses, fishheads and other delicacies especially pleasing to the refined fancies of the Lordship, the Fly. These crates were slantly wound with fly screen, covered over the top, with a funnel stuck in the bottom of the trap, the large end pointing upward. The traps were set upon blocks with the bait beneath. They were placed at kitchen doors, in front of groceries, in the rear of livery stables, by manure piles and garbage cans, and at other places where flies congregated and bred. These traps caught flies not by the hundreds but by the quarts, pecks and bushels. As a result Vanceburg was the town freest from flies of all the places visited by a State Board inspector.

This idea should be adopted by every County and City Board of Health.

This method of killing the fly is both cheap and successful.

## Some Maids.

There was a girl in our town.  
And she was wondrous all;  
You really couldn't see her  
When the lights were low and dim.

—Springfield (Mass.) Union.

There was a girl in our town,  
And she was rather fat;  
We had to sit out on the stairs  
When she was in the flat.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

There was a girl in our town,  
And she was wondrous tall;  
But still she wore high willow  
plumes.

For it was fashion's call.

—Denver Republican.

There was a girl in our town  
And she was equat and stout;  
And so, of course, she wore a hat  
That looked just like a wart.

## Hot Weather Rules.

## Do's.

Take a vacation.  
Loin and sleep every opportunity.

Wear lightest clothes and underwear—not wool.  
Drink cool—not iced, drinks.  
Get out doors in street cars, buggies or automobiles.

Be moderate in everything.

## Don'ts.

Worry.  
Drink any alcohol.  
Look at the Thermometer.  
Eat meat daily.  
Eat fish or sea foods unless absolutely fresh.  
Sit directly under fans.  
Think how hot it is.

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